UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re patent application of: MORITA, et al

Serial No.: 09/068,592

Filed: May 14, 1998

For: CATHODE MATERIAL FOR LITHIUM SECONDARY

BATTERY, PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURING THE SAME, AND SECONDARY BATTERY USING THE

SAME

Examiner: Weing

Art Unit: 1745

Docket No.: P05934US0/LRP

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C.

SIR:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application. The requested extension and fee are as follows.

X	1. One month extension of time previously obtained. Additional extension requested:				
	X One month Two months Three months Four months	Non-Small Entity Fee X \$ 280 \$ 780 \$ 1280 \$ 1780	Small Entity Feed #4 -3 \$ 140 \$ 390 \$ 640 \$ 895	CENEL	

2. Two month extension of time previously obtained. Additional extension requested:				
	Non-Small Entity Fee	Small Entity Fee		
One month	\$ 500	\$ 250		
Two months	\$ 1000	\$ 500		
Three months	\$ 1500	\$ 750		

- X A check covering the amount indicated above is enclosed. If no check or an insufficient check is enclosed and a fee is due with this communication, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee or additional fee due herewith to Deposit Account No. 12-0555. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- X If a further petition for extension of time (EOT) is required at this time, applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for an EOT of as many months as are required to ensure that the application is pending on the date that this petition is filed. Any fee due in connection with this petition is authorized in the preceding paragraph.

05/02/2001 HNOOR1

00000044 09068592

01 FC:116

280.00 DP

Date: May 1, 2001

Respectfully submitted

Registration No.: 36255

LARSON & TAYLOR, PLC • 1199 North Fairfax St. • Suite 900 • Alexandria, VA 22314